STAT

Next 1 Page(s) In Document Exempt

1 February 1971

To   :   Director of Security

Through   :   Deputy Director of Support

Through   :   Director of Communications

Through   :   Chief, Career Management Staff, OC

Subject   :   Request for Approval to Publish

STAT   Reference: [ ]   dated 19 July 1967

STAT

STAT   This draft represents approximately ten years of accumulated research on our part. When completed the manuscript will be the most comprehensive [ ] compiled to date in any language.

We are now in the process of combining our seperate notes into a single draft through the process of each typing an alternate chapter. The attached Chapter A was prepared by myself. Once this first draft is completed and corrections made we will then type a final draft for publication. We estimate to finish the final draft in 1974.

In as much as the final document will not be my sole property and negotiations for publication may begin by either Mr. [ ] or myself   STAT prior to final completion your permission is requested to allow me to continue based on a review of the attached chapter.

To my knowledge no other member of the Agency is involved as a contributer. Further no sources of the Agency have been used nor will any mention of the Agency be made either as a reference or as my employer.

It is requested that the attached copy be returned to me when your examination has been completed. As the manuscript is typed an accumulative copy will be available for periodic review at any time.

DD/S Distribution: STAT
    Orig - D/Sec
    1 - DD/S subject
    1 - DD/S chrono

APPROVED, subject to clearing any biographic sketch of author with the Central Cover Staff, DD/P.

        (signed) John W. Coffey
5 FEB 1971

        John W. Coffey   Date
        Deputy Director